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A CHANGE OF BASE

President Castro Evidently Thinks He Has Tackled too Big a Job.

WANTS TO ARBITRATE

Venezuela's Dictator Asks United States Minister to Patch Breach Up For Him.

In the Meantime, However, He Calls On All Subjects Over Eighteen to Enlist.

Willemstad, Curacao, Dec. 13.—The foreign residents of Puerto Cabello are taking refuge on board the German cruiser Vineta and the British cruiser Ariadne, and these vessels are threatening to bombard the port.

London, Dec. 13.—The Venezuelan crisis is regarded less seriously here this morning. The situation is held to be in no way alarming, and although the opinion is expressed that President Castro's reported request for arbitration has come too late, this step on his part is welcomed as a proof of his anxiety to withdraw from his position.

The morning newspapers express various opinions as to the arbitration proposals, but there is a general agreement that if by a guarantee made by the United States or other means Venezuela could be bound to carry out an award, no reason exists why Great Britain should refuse to consent to arbitration. It is believed, however, that neither Great Britain nor Germany is likely to accept the arbitration proposal.

Statements attributed to the consuls and other representatives of Venezuela in European cities, all betray a stronger feeling against Germany than against Great Britain as well as reliance upon the United States to prevent any Anglo-German invasion of Venezuela. The Venezuelan consul at Genoa is credited with the assertion that the armed intervention of the United States would be certain to follow immediately such invasion.

A dispatch from Berlin says the British commander in Venezuelan waters will, as senior officer, in the future direct all joint action by the Anglo-German fleet after having consulted with Commodore Scheder, the German commander. Germany has no intention of sending a force to the interior of Venezuela. All German action, according to this dispatch, will be confined to the coast.

Now Seeks Arbitration.

Washington, Dec. 13.—A cablegram received at the state department from Minister Bowen at Caracas, states that the Venezuelan government has requested him to propose to Great Britain and Germany that the difficulties arising out of the claims for damages and injuries to British and German subjects during the civil war be submitted to arbitration. In conformity with the understanding already reached with the representatives of the British and German governments here, this proposition from President Castro will be duly laid before those governments, the state department merely acting as a channel of communication. Not much hope is entertained of the favorable reception of the proposition, as it is felt that the difficulty has progressed too far for a settlement by the peaceful methods of arbitration.

CALL TO ARMS

All Venezuelans Over Eighteen Must Enlist.

Caracas, Venezuela, Dec. 13.—The Venezuelan government has asked U. S. Minister Bowen to act as arbitrator in the controversy with Great Britain and Germany. The English telephone office has been seized. The government has taken preservative measures at La Guayra. All the deposits of coal at the navy yard and all the British cars on the La Guayra railroad have been brought here, rendering impossible the transportation of the allied forces by rail.

General Ferrera, the minister of war, is choosing spots in the mountains where trenches are to be dug. The governor of Caracas has issued the following decree:

"All Venezuelans living in the federal district, between the ages of eighteen and fifty years, must enroll themselves in the militia. Any such persons refusing to enroll voluntarily, as patriot demands, will be declared traitors and sent before the tribunals."

FRANCE INTERESTED

Her Claims Exceed the Anglo-German Demand.

Washington, Dec. 13.—If there is an attempt to possess themselves of all the customs receipts on the part of Great Britain and Germany, protests naturally might be expected to follow from France, which holds claims aggregating more than the combined claims of England and Germany, which it is understood already has arranged for their payment on an installment plan out of Venezuelan customs receipts, an arrangement that might be

disturbed by the British and German program.

It is evident here now that the allies have been obliged to proceed against Venezuela far beyond the point where their original program ceased. The correspondence shows that there was not the least apprehension that Castro in his resistance would make it necessary for Great Britain and Germany to go beyond a peaceful blockade, and it is the understanding that the London and Berlin authorities now are obliged to prepare a new program for execution in case Mr. Bowen's efforts at arbitration fail.

Put Them to Work.

Port of Spain, Trinidad, Dec. 13.—The captured Venezuelan gunboats are now manned by British sailors and are doing British work. There is one British cruiser at this port. The other men-of-war continue to blockade the Venezuelan coast. The navigation of the Orinoco has been reopened.

A BIT OF HISTORY

Is Recalled By Trip Through Old Federal Building.

Indianapolis, Dec. 13.—The old federal building in which the Jennings case is being tried is of peculiar interest to some of the defendants. Today in company with A. A. Young, collector of customs and custodian of the property, they explored the fourth floor which, according to one of them, was covered with the dust of ages. The federal building—which includes the postoffice and the office of all the federal officials here, was built before the war. In those times it was regarded as one of the fine structures, but in these days of skyscrapers it hardly gets recognition. But in addition to sheltering the federal officers, in war days it was also the federal prison. Many important prisoners of war were confined there. The defendants in the Jennings case wandered through the old-fashioned cells today, and one of them, B. T. Pace, recalled that a number of prominent residents of Washington and Orange counties—the seat of the Knights of the Golden Circle—had been confined in the prison after the famous circle was broken up. It has been many years since the cells were used, but they are still solid and intact and could be used again in time of emergency. All federal prisoners convicted here are sent either to Columbus, O., or Fort Leavenworth, Kan.

The controversy about the time Judge Baker should retire and when Judge A. B. Anderson should succeed him caused Joe B. Kealing to recall today that for three days the state was without a district attorney. When Albert W. Wishard, now solicitor of internal revenue, resigned as district attorney, Kealing was appointed to the place, but he did not present himself to be sworn in until three days after he had received his commission, so during the interim there was no district attorney, although J. J. M. LaFollette, deputy under both Wishard and Kealing, looked after the office. When Kealing's commission was issued Wishard was no longer district attorney, although Kealing had not taken the oath of office. This is the same point made by Judge Baker, who says he will be a private citizen the minute Anderson's commission is signed and issued.

Henry Pettit, the United States marshal of Indiana, thinks that Warren G. Sayre of Wabash has an excellent chance of being elected speaker. Sayre has not been getting out into the highways and byways for votes like some of the candidates, but Pettit says that does not signify Sayre has not been active. Sayre is an oldtime politician and was speaker in 1887. His name is probably more widely known than the other candidates, and Pettit and other prominent Republicans who are working for him are convinced that he will make a much better showing than is anticipated by his opponents. A meeting of the Eleventh district representatives was held at Marion Thursday night in Sayre's interests.

Two years ago the temperance people tried to get the legislature to enact a law providing that whenever a retail liquor license was issued that the applicant should present a petition to the county commissioners signed by two-thirds of the voters of the ward or township. This would place the people on record regarding the traffic, and the temperance people thought it would effectually silence the business. The bill died an easy death, but it is said that it will be reintroduced. The prohibitionist leaders are talking of the bill, but they have no hopes that it will pass. The chances are more than ten to one that there will be no changes—radical changes, at least—in the liquor laws during the coming session.

The Columbia Club—the big Republican organization—will open its season tonight with a vaudeville, for which Superintendent Hurley has made extensive preparations. Talent from the local theaters will furnish the program. It is expected that 400 or 500 members will be present, as these entertainments are popular. A number are to be given during the winter, as the club is to be made as attractive as possible. The Democrats are also preparing to give a number of entertainments at the Indiana club.

The Flywheel Burst.

Alexandria, Ind., Dec. 13.—Martin Maley was struck by a flywheel, which broke his skull. He died of his injuries.

DAY OF ILL-OMEN

Attempts to Land Shore End of Pacific Cable On Friday Failed.

MACKAY WAS HURT, TOO

Hawser Flew Up and Struck Head of Great New Enterprise In Chin and Floored Him.

Promoters Lay Failure On to the Tide, But Sailors Could Have Told 'Em So.

San Francisco, Dec. 13.—An unsuccessful attempt was made yesterday to lay the shore end of the Pacific cable. As a result the big steamer Silvertown with the cable in her hold is floating idly in the San Francisco bay. Aboard the Silvertown there is keen disappointment that adverse conditions made a failure of the first attempt to lay the first span of cable toward the new American possessions. A strong unfavorable tide was the chief cause of the failure of the first step in the great undertaking. Minor accidents were encountered by the workmen on shore. Clarence H. Mackay, president of the Commercial Cable company, was slightly hurt.

The weather was fine and 25,000 persons had gathered at the beach to



CLARENCE H. MACKAY.

witness the beginning of the cable laying. The Silvertown left the bay soon after daylight and anchored off Baker's Beach at 9 o'clock. The surf was breaking heavily off shore and it was decided to delay hauling the cable ashore.

The life-saving crew from the Baker's Beach station with their surfboats, along with the crews of two boats from the steamer, carried a large rope from the Silvertown to a point just outside the breakers, and there they lay while the crew of one of the life-savers' boats signalled for the boat of the Golden Gate park life-saving crew to come out through the surf and take the rope to land. The crew on land started for the water, their boat drawn by horses which galloped to the surf. The men climbed into their places, a wave rolled well up on the shelving sand, and the boat shot from its carriage into the water. After several attempts the life-saving crew succeeded in getting ashore a hawser to which was attached the cable. Then followed a delay of four and a half hours until the sea became more quiet. But when operations were resumed the hawser belied so that it was impossible to draw it ashore through the strong tide.

Just before the attempt was abandoned for the day a number of men took hold of the hawser for a final pull. The hawser flew up and struck Clarence Mackay on the chin, carrying him off his feet. With darkness coming on the Silvertown returned to her anchorage in the bay. Another trial will be made Monday.

Will Drop Prosecution.

Rushville, Indiana, Dec. 13.—It is thought that no further action will be taken toward prosecuting John S. Johns and John P. Haughn on the charge of participating in a fake footrace at Brookville, in 1901, in which E. W. Duvall lost \$1,700. The suit of Duvall against the estate of Albert H. King and Johns and Haughn, to be tried at Brookville this week, was compromised. Duvall was paid back \$1,275 of the money and dismissed the suit. The estate of King paid \$625 of the amount and the rest came from Johns and Haughn.

Kansas Coal Famine.

Topeka, Kan., Dec. 13.—There is a great scarcity of coal in some portions of Kansas. Considerable suffering has resulted already and much more will ensue unless the famine shall be relieved at once. The complaint is made that the railroads confiscate to their own use nearly all the coal that is being shipped to the extreme western portion of the state.

White House Reception.

Washington, Dec. 13.—Mrs. Roosevelt received Washington society yesterday afternoon at a tea in the White House. It was the first large social function of the winter season at the White House and was attended by several hundred members of resident and official society.

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Fannie Freeman, Victim of His Jealous Rage On Fair Way to Recovery.

Bloomington, Ind., Dec. 12.—Torrey Livingston and Miss Fannie Freeman, the young people who were victims of the tragedy near Whitehall two weeks ago, are improving slowly and it is now thought they will recover. The bullet fired by Livingston at Miss Freeman still remains in her body, and she is unable to lie down, but the physicians say she will recover. Livingston is much better and is out of danger. He has been placed under bond, and the date for his preliminary hearing fixed for Dec. 15.

THE SHERWELL CASE

Prosecution Admits Its Lack of Evidence.

Evansville, Ind., Dec. 13.—The trial of Wilbur S. Sherwell, former policeman, charged with the murder of Fannie Butler, a mulatto, May 15, 1901, was called before Judge Louis O. Rasch of the circuit court yesterday. The courtroom was packed with spectators. It required but a few minutes to make up a jury. In the statement for the state prosecutor Edgar Durso said he could prove by one witness that Sherwell was seen talking with the woman on the night before the murder. Her body was found in an alley in the policeman's district next morning. The trial came to an end after three witnesses were heard. The prosecutor asked the court to nolle the case, as he did not have enough evidence to convict the defendant. The court dismissed the jury.

There is another case against Sherwell, in which he is charged with choking Lena Renner, a white woman, to death, but it is understood that it may be dismissed. Sherwell has been in jail since November, 1901.

Learning By Experience.

Terre Haute, Ind., Dec. 13.—Wm. H. Ellis, one of the several applicants for the position of superintendent of the rock pile, an appointment to be made by the county commissioners the first of the year, got a rock-pile job for which he had not applied. He was arrested on a charge of "drunk and disorderly" and Judge Rawley of the police court sent him to work on the rock pile. When he reported for duty his fellow prisoners made merry over their new "boss."

Probably Local Talent.

Muncie, Ind., Dec. 13.—Safeblowers blasted two safes at Selma, six miles east of here. They took \$50 from the postoffice safe and \$70 from the safe in the grocery of Lafayette & Schull. Safeblowing and burglaries have been weekly occurrences in Muncie and suburbs for several months, and there is little doubt that the criminals live here. This is the second time Selma has been invaded by burglars in a short time.

Forger Pleads Guilty.

Brookville, Ind., Dec. 13.—Emmett C. Hagans, who was arrested for discounting forged insurance notes, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to from two to fourteen years in state prison.

Diphtheria Epidemic.

Fowler, Ind., Dec. 13.—Many cases of diphtheria of malignant type are reported in Benton county, and doctors are using every precaution to prevent its spread.

Dangerous Cider.

Kendallville, Ind., Dec. 13.—John Childs, H. M. Flint and William Nott were cutting wood north of here when a farmer named Hartman gave them a drink of cider. The cider came from a barrel which had been used by an undertaker to hold embalming fluid, and when empty found its way to a cider mill. Flint is in a serious condition, but the others will recover.

No Cause Given.

Sullivan, Ind., Dec. 13.—While supper was being cooked at J. C. Chaney's house the range blew up and the food, dishes, pots and pans were hurled right and left. Mrs. Chaney had stepped out to get some water and there was nobody in the kitchen when the explosion occurred. The cause is a mystery.

Restricting the Traffic.

Paoli, Ind., Dec. 13.—The town board has published an ordinance against selling liquor in less quantities than a quart, and providing a fine of \$150 for its violation. The ordinance is also against the operation of "blind tigers."

Mines Will Reopen.

Cannelton, Ind., Dec. 13.—The American Cannel company's mines will be opened in a few days after a two-years' shutdown because of disagreement over wages. The company will also prospect in the vicinity for more coal.

An Old Legislator.

Hutchinson, Kan., Dec. 13.—Josiah M. Leeds, who served several terms as a member of the state legislature of Indiana, is dead at Turon, this county, aged seventy years. He was a state senator from this county from 1892 to 1896.

A Georgia Hanging.

Thomasville, Ga., Dec. 13.—Goldey Tyus, convicted of murdering Jeff Godwin on Oct. 28, was hanged here yesterday. He was perfectly cool and prayed with the minister before the execution.

Private Pension List.

Washington, Dec. 13.—The house devoted yesterday to consideration of private pension bills. The calendar was cleared, 173 bills being passed. None of them was of especial interest.

Morocco's Civil War.

Tangier, Morocco, Dec. 13.—The sultan arrived outside of Fez yesterday. He is sending the bulk of his army against the pretender, who is still at Tazza.

BABY SALE



There are a great many hungry hearted women who would attend a baby sale if babies were ever offered for sale, because there are a great many wives who love children and have been told by physicians that they can never hope to nurse a child of their own.

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DEWEY is conveniently near the scene of disturbance in Venezuela and he may get a taste of real war again if the Monroe doctrine is tampered with to much extent by the foreign parties now there looking after individual interests. Dewey will look after the doctrine in good shape.

THE report and recommendations of the state board of forestry has been issued by W. H. Freeman, the secretary. The report is full of valuable information and the recommendations are worthy the careful consideration of the legislature. The subject of forestry is one in which the people of Indiana should begin to take a decided interest.

AMONG the Reed epigrams now going the rounds of the press is a good one on democracy: "I have known the democratic party for 30 years," the great man is said to have remarked once, "and I have never known a morient in which it could be photographed in any attitude except that of 'it can't be done'."

THE REPUBLICAN is under obligation to some one, and we suspect it is J. W. Holmes, for copies of the South Bend Tribune containing reports of the meeting of the State Grange this week. According to the reports the Grangers are certainly having an interesting and enjoyable meeting. Mr. Holmes, of Cortland, is attending, being one of the state grange officers.

AN Indianapolis minister preached a sermon yesterday on the evils and increase of gambling. There is great need of stirring up the popular conscience on this subject. No other evil is growing so rapidly in this country. We are all in danger of becoming a nation of gamblers. The desire to get something for nothing is more or less prevalent everywhere. It requires but a little stimulus to transform that desire into a craze for gambling.—Richmond Palladium

THERE is much sentiment in favor of the compulsory use of voting machines. Some of this sentiment is doubtless the result of the earnest advocacy of men financially interested in machines. Nothing is more certain than the fact that the present prices of machines are entirely too high. There is danger of a job, and the General Assembly would do well to make haste slowly. Voting machines are all right, but the time for their compulsory use in Indiana has probably not yet arrived.

JUDGE BUSKIRK'S TESTIMONY

Resented by D. A. Jennings at Indianapolis.

Judge Thos. B. Buskirk was among the character witnesses who testified against D. A. Jennings in the Federal court at Indianapolis Friday. His testimony was positive and was resented by Jennings.

Friday's Indianapolis News has the following to say about the incident: "In the lobby of the Federal Court, David A. Jennings, complainant in the \$200,000 damage case against Judge Thomas Buskirk, of Paoli, of testifying falsely against him. No blows were struck, as Buskirk, who was appointed Democratic member of the State Tax Board in Governor Mount's administration, refused to become involved in a controversy and walked away.

Judge Buskirk was placed on the stand to testify regarding the reputation of Jennings for moral character, truth and veracity. He said it was bad, and when asked who he heard talking of it, he replied that it would be much easier to enumerate those who he hadn't heard discussing it.

As he left the court room Jennings met him in the hall, asked him why he had testified as he did, and accused him of testifying falsely.

Jennings charged the judge with having failed to exercise his authority, as judge of the district in which Salem is located, in protecting him from the alleged whitecappers. The men lounging in the corridor began to gather around Jennings and Buskirk, but the latter said he would not discuss the matter and walked away.

The defendants are now finishing their side of the case. A number of depositions were read Friday to show that the reputation of Jennings for moral character, truth and veracity, was bad. Brown was formerly a deputy State Oil Inspector.

S. D. Brown, sheriff of the county, and one of the original defendants, said that Jennings' reputation for truth and veracity and moral character was bad. Brown was formerly a deputy State Oil Inspector.

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BUSINESS NOTES.

Miss Julia Fountain, of Owen township, was here today shopping.

Miss Dessie Harbaugh of Freetown, was in the city today shopping.

Charles H. Abell, made a business trip to Jonesville this morning.

Dorelson Robertson of Ewing, went to Indianapolis today on business.

Dan Crowe one of the Columbus coal dealers, was in town on business this morning.

Howard DeHaven is repapering and decorating T. S. Blish's residence throughout.

Geo. H. Meyer made a trip to Brownstown today for the John C. Groub Company.

John H. Wilson and wife, of Bedford, were here today and gave the REPUBLICAN office a business call.

J. C. Henderider, known among his neighbors as the "pumpkin king" of Carr township, was looking after business matters here this morning and shaking hands with friends.

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Bank Wins.

4,055. Hurlow vs. First National bank et al. Jackson C. C. Affirmed by Appellate court. Comstock, J.

1. Where a complaint has been held bad on one appeal to the supreme court, it must be held bad in all subsequent stages of the case unless material amendments are made in the particulars in which it was held bad. Amendments by adding immaterial averments can have no effect to make such complaint sufficient.

2. A party represented in court by an attorney is charged with the knowledge of such attorney that the other parties to the suit are in court; possessed of the privilege to assert every legal right afforded them by law.

3. Epithets may properly be struck out of a pleading as scandalous.

4. One who files a cross-complaint is under no legal duty to inform the judge of its nature and scope, but the court must take judicial notice of the same.

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Orator, Mort Crabb.
Secretary, T. R. Carter.
Collector, R. G. Binder.
Treasurer, C. E. McCrady.
Guide, M. A. Barrick.
Warden, Jos. C. Brown.
Sentinel, John Rider.
Trustees, W. O. Shepard, William Ahlert and W. R. Ewing.
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Bunco Scheme.

Exchanges received at this office note that farmers in several parts of the state have been fleeced by a new bunco game. Wire fence swindlers appear and sell a bill of fence at a ridiculously low price and offer to "throw in" a fancy gate if the farmer puts up \$10 on the order. The agent pockets the cash and the farmer gets his experience. Buy your fence from home dealers.

Frank Burke.

Frank Burke, ex-United States district attorney and one of the best known democrats of Indiana, is lying fatally ill at Jeffersonville and little hope is entertained for his recovery Mr. Burke has been a sufferer for months. One operation has been performed and another will be attempted.

A Grand Display.

Even in the largest cities one cannot find a handsomer front or more beautifully decorated windows than at the Hub Clothing house. Mr. Johnson is an expert decorator and his Christmas display is one of the finest ever seen in the city.

In the case of Jefferson Greer vs. the Pennsylvania railroad tried at Columbus and judgment rendered for \$91.67 damages, a motion has been made for a new trial. A new trial will probably not be granted.

OUR CHURCHES.

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH. Services tomorrow at 10:45 a. m. and 7 p. m.; Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; Christian Endeavor society at 6 p. m. You are cordially invited. Jno. W. Moody, Pastor

FIRST M. E. CHURCH. Class meeting at 9:30 a. m., preach 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. by the pastor. Junior League at 1:15 p. m., Sunday school 2 p. m., Epworth League 6:15. Morning sermon: "A Vision; The World's Need." This is the first of three visions. The others will follow on following Sabbath mornings. Public invited. E. R. Vest, D. D. pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Corner Walnut and Branch streets. Service every Sabbath at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath school at 9:15 a. m. all the year. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 p. m. every Sabbath. Junior Endeavor society at 3 p. m. Sabbath afternoon. Weekly prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. every Wednesday. Rev. Dr. E. C. Jacka pastor.

Morning subject: "Thoughts About Heaven." Evening subject: "Christ or Caesar."

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH. Southwest corner of Walnut and Tipton streets. Preaching every Sabbath. Sunday school, 9:15 a. m. Morning service at 10:30 a. m. Evening service, 7 p. m. B. Y. P. U. meeting Sunday evening at 6:30 p. m. All are made cordially welcome. Rev. W. C. Martin, pastor.

Rev. F. O. Lamoreux, pastor of the Columbus Baptist church, will preach here tomorrow. Morning subject: "The Two Resurrections." Evening subject: "The Purpose of Christ's Mission."

Besides being a strong preacher Rev. Lamoreux is an excellent singer. He will sing at both the morning and evening service.

GERMAN M. E. CHURCH. Corner of Poplar and Bruce streets. Rev. C. E. Severinghaus, pastor. Sunday school 9 a. m. Morning service, 10:30 a. m. Epworth League 6:30 p. m. Preaching 7:15 p. m. Weekly prayer meeting at 7:30 Wednesday. League meeting every other week on Thursday evening at 7:45.

EVNG. PROT. ST. PAUL'S CHURCH. Northeast corner of Walnut and Tipton. Morning service 10 a. m. Sunday school 2 p. m. Every first Sunday evening in the month services in German and every third Sunday evening in the English language at 7 o'clock. F. Daries, pastor.

GERMAN LUTHERAN EMMANUELS. Corner Walnut and Oak streets. Rev. Philip Schmidt, pastor. Preaching every Sabbath. Morning service, 10:30 a. m. Evening service, 7:00 p. m. Children's catechism after morning service.

HOLINESS CHRISTIAN CHURCH. On Ewing street, between Second and Third streets. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Services at 10:30 a. m., 2:30 p. m., and 7 p. m. Services every Tuesday and Friday nights at 7:30. Every body will be made welcome. Rev. R. S. Wisler, pastor

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH. Corner Lynn and Brown streets. Preaching every Sabbath. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Officers meeting Thursday preceding first Sabbath in each month. Business meeting Friday evening preceding the first Sabbath in each month. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening of each week. Rev. David Dehoney, pastor.

A. M. E. CHURCH. Corner of Tipton and Lynn streets. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. Class meeting at 11:45 a. m. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. Preaching at 7:45 p. m. Week night services: Monday, C. E. meeting; Tuesday, official board; Wednesday, prayer meeting; Friday, each's meeting. J. W. Bush, pastor

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In the annals of medicine Kodol is up above the world so high that it is like a diamond in the sky.

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Unlike all other remedies, Kodol combines the natural digestants with the greatest known tonic and reconstructive properties. It does not purge the system. The weak should never be weakened and the sick should never be sickened. Such treatment gives temporary relief often, but permanent good never.

Immediate benefits follow the first dose, and perfect health is the permanent result derived from the use of Kodol.

A LAWYER

Five years ago dyspepsia took such a hold on me I could scarcely go. I took quantities of medicines, but nothing helped me. I tried Kodol, and improved at once. It cured me.

GEORGE S. MARSH, NOCONA, TEX.

A BANKER

I suffered for four years with indigestion. After having almost despaired of ever getting well, Kodol was recommended to me. I began to improve at once. I am now taking the third bottle and I feel as well as I ever did. Can eat anything without bad effects.

THOS. H. TAYLOR, COMO, MISS.

A MERCHANT

I suffered heart-burn and stomach trouble, caused by dyspepsia, have had some very bad attacks of same. My sister-in-law has had the same trouble. She lived entirely on warm water. Two bottles of Kodol cured her. As for myself, I am glad to say that a dose of Kodol always gives me instant relief.

J. D. ERSKINE, ALLENVILLE, MICH.

A MINISTER

For years I suffered from dyspepsia, growing worse and worse, until culminating in a bad case of ulceration of the stomach. Every known means, and many of the best physicians, were consulted. My people sent me to Europe. Each Hemorrhage left me weaker and weaker. Finally I was induced to try Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It relieved me beyond imagination. I am now using my third bottle, am preaching twice every Sunday, and thank God I expect to be well soon.

W. P. LOPEX, EARLVILLE, IA.

A DOCTOR

After three years almost constant use of Kodol in hundreds of cases referable to faulty digestion and assimilation, I can truthfully say it is the most efficient combination for dyspepsia, indigestion, flatulence, nausea and all gastric disorders that it has been my good fortune to discover. My experience in a general and hospital practice dates from 1872, and of all the digestants prescribed in those thirty years, none in my hands have proved so thoroughly effective as Kodol.

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Bottles Only—Regular Size, \$1.00, holding 2½ times as much as the trial size which sells for 50 cents.

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It never fails to cure a SIMPLE COLD, HEAVY COLD, and all BRONCHIAL TROUBLES.

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P.f.s, Ties, Four-in-hands,
Bows and Strings.

25c to 1.00

The Hub

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

CHICAGO, ILL., December 12, 1902—Partly cloudy tonight and Sunday.

Ben-Hur Party.

Twenty-seven tickets were sold here Friday to parties going to Indianapolis to see Ben-Hur. Among them were several of the city school teachers. Some who went were Prof. H. C. Montgomery, Misses Emma and Daisy Alwes, Katherine Jackson, Bessie Thompson, Sarah Marsh, Katherine and Louise Vosbrink, Ella Acker, Margaret Sheron, Lenore Gasaway, Margaret Phelan, May Love, Dr. Howard Burkle, M. J. Striegel and several others. A number of them returned on the early train this morning.

Farmers' Institute.

The annual institute of the farmers of Jackson county will be held in Seymour January 2 and 3. A good program has been prepared and a profitable meeting is anticipated. The instructors will be J. A. Burton, of Orleans, J. J. W. Billingsley, of Indianapolis, Mrs. Florence Ross, of Southport, and Prof. C. Culter, of Purdue.

This Date in History.

Dec. 13 is honored in the Catholic church for St. Lucy, a virgin martyr of Sicily, in 305. She is the patroness of Syracuse, of the laboring poor, and against disease of the eyes. Born, Phillips Brooks, in 1835, American divine and bishop.—Ex.

Life Insurance.

Persons interested in Life or Endowment Insurance should see me and enquire about the "Investment Insurance Trust Bond" of the National Life Ins. Co. of Vt., the most perfect contract now on the market.

HARRY M. MILLER, Agt.

Notice.

At the regular meeting of Hermon Lodge No. 44, K. of P. Thursday night, December 25th, a trustee will be elected to serve three years.

VOSS COX, C. C.

J. W. MASSMAN, K. of R. and S. of.

To the Public.

We have purchased the Price Fish and Oyster Market and will continue the business at the old stand. Give us a call or telephone No. 78. Goods delivered to all parts of the city.

COPPIN & MARSHALL, Props.

Notice of Stock Holders Meeting.

The regular annual meeting for the election of directors of the First National Bank of Seymour, Indiana, will be held at the office of the bank on Tuesday, Jan. 13, 1903.

CYRUS E. MCCRADY,

Cashier.

Band concert Monday night.

Butter, eggs, poultry at Reynolds'. d13d

Try Hotel Jonas barber shop. #293d

Oranges, apples, bananas at Reynolds'. d13d

FOR SALE CHEAP—A good horse. Inquire at 662 S. Walnut. d15d

Country buckwheat flour, maple syrup, country honey, graham flour, bulk mince meat, codfish, at Teckemeyer's. d13

Get your seats now for the band concert Monday night.

It strikes the root and annihilates disease, a subtle, potent remedy, that fills the mind with sweet and charming fancies. Rocky Mountain Tea. 35c. W. F. Peters Drug Store.

Fresh meats of all kinds at all times at McDonald's meat market. tf

If you like music don't fail to hear the band concert Monday night.

Dr. B. S. Shinn, is now prepared to extract teeth absolutely without pain by a new method and will make no charges if he does not extract every tooth as above stated. The method is simple and perfectly harmless. Office up over Dr. J. M. Shield's. Seymour, Ind.

Ordinary household accidents have no terrors when there's a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the medicine chest. Measles, burns, cuts, bruises, sprains. Instant relief.

"Itching hemorrhoids were the plague of my life. Was almost wild. Doan's Ointment cured me quickly and permanently, after doctors had failed." C. F. Cornwell, Valley Street, Sauger ties, N. Y.

Prof. Johnson and his well trained band will delight you Monday night at the opera house.

A lazy liver makes a lazy man. Burdock Blood Bitters is the natural, never failing remedy for a lazy liver.

Wanted—A trustworthy gentleman to act in each county to manage business for an old established house of solid financial standing. A straight bona fide weekly salary of \$18.00 paid by check each Wednesday with all expenses direct from headquarters. Money advanced for expenses. Manager, 35 Caxton Bldg., Chicago. 37d

PERSONAL.

Allen Swope went to Crothersville this morning.

Fred V. Justis, of Houston, was in town Friday.

C. S. Payne was over from Clear-spring today.

H. E. Ennis was here from Vincennes last night.

O. F. Johnson, of Columbus, was here last night.

G. R. Moore was here from Mitchell Friday evening.

George A. Douglass, of New Albany, was here Friday.

S. H. Smith was here from Cartersville today.

John Garvey, of Honeysuckle, was here this forenoon.

William Williams was here from Crothersville today.

Frank Fowler was here from Crothersville this morning.

Nim Bowman, of Reddington, is better of typhoid fever.

Mrs. Charles Dahlenburg was here from Shields this morning.

P. J. McNeerney was here from Brownstown this morning.

Mrs. John Pferrer, of Ewing, went to Indianapolis this morning.

James Ruddick was a passenger to Brownstown on No. 7 today.

Mr. and Mrs. Bude, of White Creek, went to Indianapolis this morning.

Mrs. F. Lett left this morning for Paris Crossin, to visit her parents.

Miss Dorothy Foranash, of Brownstown, went to Indianapolis this morning.

Miss Attie Postlethwaite went to Louisville this morning to visit friends.

John Keller was here from Grassy Fork today to ascertain rates to Oklahoma.

Miss Emma Bowman and Miss Carrie Swamy, of Reddington, were in town today.

Mrs. R. H. Hall went to Brownstown, today to visit her mother Mrs. Lizzie Cooley.

Rev. J. M. Baxter left for Nineveh and Edinburg this morning to hold quarterly meeting.

Miss Mona Robertson, of Brownstown, went to Hartford City this morning to visit friends.

Mrs. Maggie Donniger of Paoli, who has been here visiting friends, returned home today.

L. A. Ackerman, principal of the Tampico schools, is home to spend Sunday with his family.

Mrs. Fitzgerald, who was here to visit J. T. Barnes and family, returned home Friday evening.

Elder Thos. Jones went to Vallonia today to fill his appointment at the Driftwood Christian church.

Mrs. Louisa Milhous, who has been visiting her son, C. W. Milhous, went to Indianapolis this forenoon.

Daniel Mitchell, who is staying at the Marion Soldiers' Home, is spending a few days with Seymour friends.

J. R. Loper, of the Woolen mill left for Sheridan today in response to a dispatch announcing the dangerous illness of his mother.

Edward Huber has accepted a position in the office of the Seymour woolen mills and will leave Monday for his work.—New Albany Tribune.

Rev. Luther J. Emerson, of Philadelphia, who has been visiting Dr. E. C. Jacka for some time, went to Salem this morning where he will preach tomorrow.

Rev. F. O. Lamoureux, pastor of the Columbus Baptist church, will exchange pulpits tomorrow with Rev. W. C. Martin, who is assisting in revival meetings at Columbus.

Miss Iva VanTrees is visiting Seymour friends. Miss Sadie Gross is the guest of friends in Seymour. Mrs. Wilbur Cottingham has returned from a visit to Seymour friends.—Washington Democrat.

RAILROAD RUMBLINGS.

Enos Humphrey, B. & O. S. W. traveling engineer was here from Washington last evening.

Brakeman Phil Lang was here today from Jeffersonville to visit his mother and other relatives.

John England, of Kurz, has succeeded Cecil Wheeler as chief clerk in the Southern Indiana office.

The trains from the north were all late today. The snow and ice on the cars indicated that they had encountered some strong weather.

A new time card goes into effect on the B. & O. S. W. Sunday, but does not change the time of arrival and departure of trains at the Seymour station.

The conference of B. & O. S. W. train men which is being held in this city may be concluded today or tomorrow. Several more trainmen came in last evening to attend the conference last night.

New Machinery.

The Seymour Table and Cabinet Co. today received a carload of new material for their factory. Other machinery is to follow until this will be one of the best equipped factories for their line of work. They unloaded a boiler and engine today purchased of the Atlas Machine company.

Hear the best band in southern Indiana Monday night at the opera house.

HALF OUR ILLS ARE CATARRHAL IN NATURE.

Catarrhal Diseases are Most Prevalent in Winter.

IS THERE NO WAY OF
ESCAPE FROM THEM?

Pe-ru-na Never Fails to Cure
Catarrh Wherever
Located.

There are some things which are as sure as fate, and can be relied on to occur to at least one-half of the human family unless means are taken to prevent.

First, the climate of winter is sure to bring colds.

Second, colds not promptly cured are sure to cause catarrh.

Third, catarrh improperly treated is sure to make life short and miserable.

Catarrh spares no organ or function of the body. It is capable of destroying sight, taste, smell, hearing, digestion, secretion, assimilation and excretion.

It pervades every part of the human body, head, throat, stomach, bowels, bronchial tubes, lungs, liver, kidneys, bladder and other pelvic organs.

That Peruna cures catarrh wherever located is attested by the following testimonials sent entirely unsolicited to Dr. Hartman by grateful men and women who have been cured by Peruna:

Catarrh of The Head.

Mr. D. R. Ramsey writes in a recent letter from Pine Bluff, Ark., the following:

"My son, Leon Ramsey, four years of age, suffered with catarrh of the head for eighteen or twenty months. He took one bottle of your Peruna and could hear as good as ever."—D. R. RAMSEY.

Catarrh of The Nose.

Mr. Herman Ehlike, 952 Orchard street, Milwaukee, Wis., writes:

"I am entirely cured of my catarrh of the nose by your Peruna. My case was a severe one."—HERMAN EHLIKE.

Catarrh of The Throat.

B. H. Runyan, Salesville, O., writes:

"I suffered with catarrh of the throat for five years. I was induced to try Peruna. I have used five bottles and am perfectly well."—B. H. RUNYAN.

Catarrh of The Ear.

Mr. Archie Godin, 188 Beech street, Fitchburg, Mass., writes:

"Peruna has cured me of catarrh of the middle ear. I feel better than I have for several years."—ARCHIE GODIN.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

What the Republican Offers Holiday Buyers.

One hundred engraved calling cards any style script for \$1.50

One hundred printed calling cards, in script, Roman or Tiffany type, 50c.

The Weekly REPUBLICAN for fifty-two weeks, a pleasant reminder throughout the year, for \$1.00.

The Daily REPUBLICAN mailed to any address every day for a year at \$5.00.

Our sample calendar backs contain a large variety of designs, many of them beauties. With 1903 calendar attached they range in price from 2c to 20c.

Calendar pads for 1903, several sizes, useful for many home made presents, 1 cent each.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets.

Try them

When you feel dull after eating.

When you have no appetite.

When you have a bad taste in the mouth.

When your liver is torpid.

When your bowels are constipated.

When you have a headache.

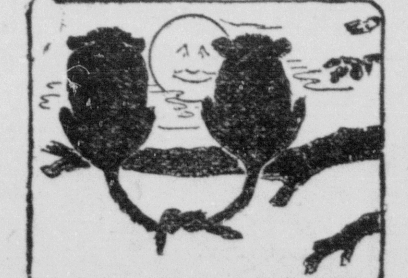
When you feel bilious.

They will improve your appetite, cleanse and invigorate your stomach and regulate your bowels. For sale by C. W. Milhous.

When once liberated within your system it produces a most wonderful effect. It's worth one's last dollar to feel the pleasure of life that comes by taking Rocky Mountain Tea. W. F. Peters Drug Co.

H. T. McIntyre, St. Paul, Minn., who has been troubled with a disordered stomach, says, "Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets do me more good than anything I have ever taken." For sale by C. W. Milhous druggist.

RIPANS



The simplest remedy for indigestion, constipation, biliousness and the many ailments arising from a disordered stomach, liver or bowels is Ripans Tablets. They have accomplished wonders, and their timely use removes the necessity of calling a physician for many little ills that beset mankind. They go straight to the seat of the trouble, relieve the distress, cleanse and cure the affected parts, and give the system a general tonic. The Five Cent packet is enough for an ordinary occasion. The family bottle, 40 cents, contains a supply for a year. All druggists sell them.

PE-RU-NA

Knocks All Forms of

Catarrh.



A TEN STROKE FOR PERUNA.

Catarrh of The Lungs.

Mrs. Emilie Kirkhoff, Ada, Minn., writes:

"Through a violent cold contracted last winter, I became afflicted with catarrh of the nose, which in a short time affected my lungs. I took Peruna which cured me thoroughly. I now feel better than I have for forty years."—Mrs. Emilie Kirkhoff.

Catarrh of The Bladder.

Mr. John Smith, 311 S. Third street, Atchison, Kan., writes:

"I was troubled with catarrh of the urethra and bladder for two years. At the time I wrote to you I was under the care of my home doctor, and had been for four months.

"I followed your directions but two months, and can say Peruna cured me of that trouble."—John Smith.

Catarrh of The Bowels.

Mr. Henry Entzion, South Bend, Ind., writes:

"The doctor said I had catarrh of the bowels and I took his medicine, but with no relief. I was getting worse all the time.

"Before I had taken a half bottle of Peruna I felt like a new man."—Henry Entzion.

Catarrh of The Kidneys.

Peter J. Unger, Hawley, Pa., writes:

"I think that I am perfectly cured of catarrh of the kidneys by Peruna, as I have no trouble of any kind."—Peter J. Unger.

Catarrh of The Stomach.

A. W. Graves, of Hammond, Ind., writing to Dr. Hartman, says:

"I am well of catarrh of the stomach after suffering two years. I have taken five bottles of Peruna and one of Manalin and I feel like a new man now."—A. W. Graves.

Pelvic Catarrh.

Miss Katie Lochman, Lafayette, Ind., writes:

"I had pelvic catarrh, pain in the abdomen, back, had stomach trouble and headache caused by catarrh. I followed your directions; took Peruna and Manalin according to directions, and how happy I feel that I am relieved of such a distressing ailment."—Miss Katie Lochman.

A book on the cure of la grippe and catarrh in all stages and phases sent free to any address by The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, Ohio.

THE GOLD MINE.



SPECIAL ARRIVAL OF MONTE CARLO COATS

An overstocked manufacturer has shipped us 50 garments on consignment to be disposed of this week at prices never known for this class of goods. We will dispose of them quick at these prices:

\$10 and 12.50 coats 8.98

\$15.00 coats at 9.98

\$20.00 coats at 12.95

Call and see them.

S STRAUSS & CO.

Sale on Holiday Goods

We have the best and cheapest line of ladies' and gentlemen's handkerchiefs for the holidays.

We have just received a line of samples for carpets and we will sell them at the lowest prices.

Don't fail to see our furs for the holidays.

Napkins from 25 cents a dozen and up to the best.

We have the best waists in town, lined all through for 98 cents.

Toweling for 3 1-2 cents per yd.

Call and see us.

THE IDEAL.



Smoking Jackets

What's more welcome to a home man than a Smoking Jacket or Lounging Coat?

It has the cheerful, cozy air of home in its every fold. With a comfortable Jacket a man feels like a Prince. We have a large line of beautiful styles at prices from \$4.50 to \$9.00. Call and see them.

THOMAS CLOTHING CO.

A FITTING TRIBUTE.

A Seymour Citizen Pays a Well-earned Tribute.

The following public statement of a respected citizen adds one more emphatic endorsement of merit to the scores that have appeared before:

Mrs. George Heins, wife of Geo. Heins, butcher, of East Second street, says: "I suffered extremely with both my back and kidneys. Learning about Doan's Kidney Pills I tried them and their use regulated the action of the kidney secretions and banished the backache. They did me so much good that my husband went to Milhous' drug store and procured a box for himself, as he suffered from a lame back. He obtained positive relief almost at once. He never had a remedy do him so much positive good. We can both scientifically recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to anyone suffering from their back and kidneys."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States. Remember the name, Doans, and take no other.

A Well Managed State.

Indiana finances are in good shape. State treasurer Levy's annual statement shows that the state debt is now \$3,204,615 12, with annual interest of \$111,000 15. The debt has been reduced more than one-half during the last few years, one million dollars having been paid recently, and some of the state officers are of the opinion it will be nearly if not quite all paid off during Governor W. T. Durbin's term. There are also good balances in the treasury. In the general fund there are \$318,946.12 and in the state debt sinking fund \$405,561.43 and a sufficient amount in the other funds to aggregate \$925,000. The whole of the state debt can soon be paid off at the present rate. But to do this the legislature must turn down all the schemes for unjust appropriations.

COUGHS AND COLDS IN CHILDREN.

Recommendation of a Well Known Chicago Physician.

I use and prescribe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for almost all obstinate, constricted coughs, with direct results. I prescribe it to children of all ages. Am glad to recommend it to all in need and seeking relief from colds and coughs and bronchial affections. It is non-narcotic and safe in the hands of the most professional. A universal panacea for all mankind.—Mrs. Mary R. Melendy, M. D. Ph. Chicago, Ill. This remedy is for sale by C. W. Milhous.

Wheat Crop Outlook.

The statistician of the department of agriculture estimates the newly seeded area of winter wheat in the United States at about 31,000,000 acres, an increase of 5.1 per cent upon the area estimated to have been sown in the fall of 1901. The condition of winter wheat Dec. 1 was 97.7 as compared with 86.7 in 1901, 97.1 in 1900 and a nine-year average of 91.4.

Indiana has sown 5 per cent more wheat than last year and on Dec. 1 the crop looked 13 per cent better than last year at the same time.

A. J. Snell wanted to attend a party, but was afraid to do so on account of pains in his stomach, which he feared would grow worse. He says, I was telling my troubles to a lady friend, who said: "Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy will put you in condition for the party." I bought a bottle and take pleasure in stating that two doses cured me and enabled me to have a good time at the party." Mr. Snell is a resident of Summer Hill, N. Y. This remedy is for sale by C. W. Milhous.

Abused Husband.

A poor, down-trodden husband was fined \$1 and costs at Bluffton last week for indulging in the manly art of pounding his wife. He considered it an abridgement of his rights and refused to liquidate, and the poor man went to jail. He was much surprised, as he had pounded her many times before and no one had meddled with his favorite pastime prior to this occasion.—Kendallville Sun.

A Good Cough Medicine.

From the Gazette, Toowoomba, Australia. I find Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is an excellent medicine. I have been suffering from a severe cough for the last two months, and it has effected a cure. I have great pleasure in recommending it.—W. C. WOCKNER. This is the opinion of one of our oldest and most respected residents, and has been voluntarily given in good faith that others may try the remedy and be benefited, as was Mr. Wockner. This remedy is sold by C. W. Milhous drug store.

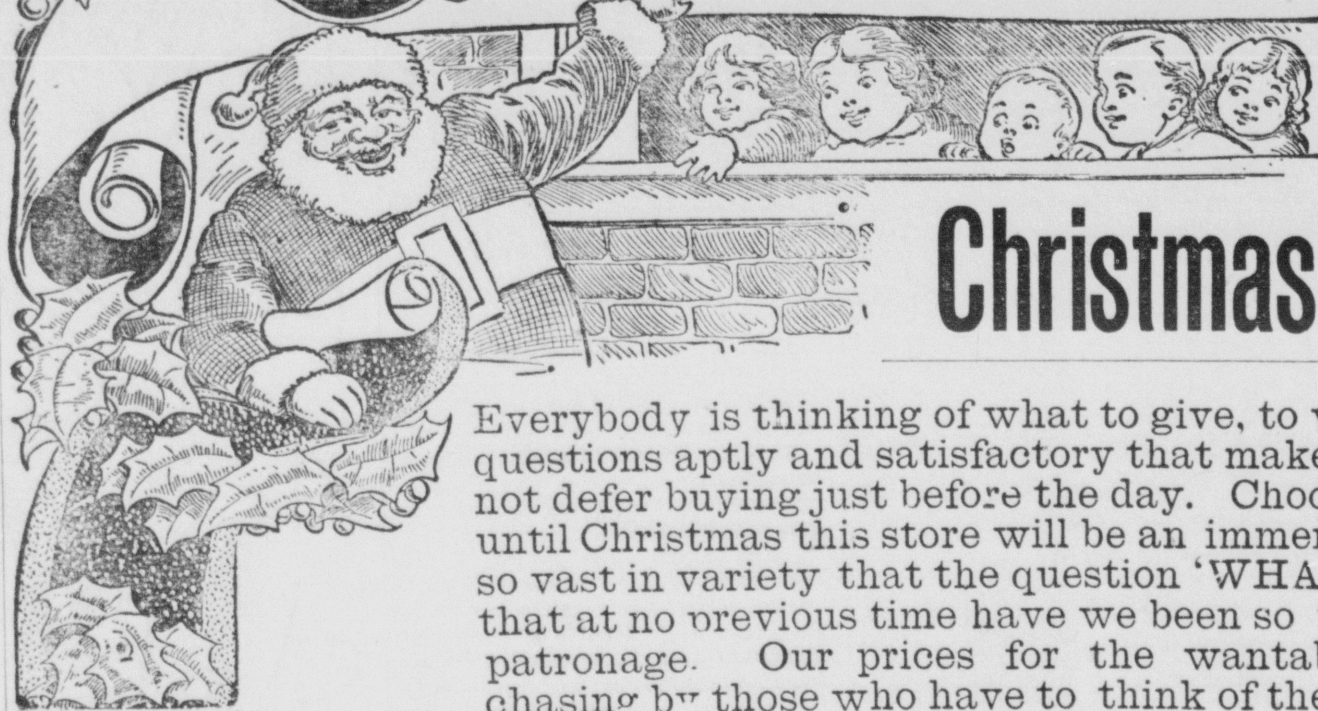
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CHRISTMAS TIDE



HINTS TO HOLIDAY SHOPPERS

Christmas is Just Around the Corner

Everybody is thinking of what to give, to whom, and how best to do it. It is by answering such questions aptly and satisfactory that makes this such a popular store. It is wise to plan early and not defer buying just before the day. Choosing at leisure allows thoughts for selections. From now until Christmas this store will be an immense Holiday Bazar, offering a selection of suitable gifts so vast in variety that the question 'WHAT TO BUY?' is easily settled. It is gratifying to know that at no previous time have we been so well equipped or in such splendid shape to supply our patronage. Our prices for the wantable things are more appreciated during the Holiday purchasing by those who have to think of the ways and means.

FURS.

Substantial Gifts may be found in this Department at saving prices.

CLOAKS AND SUITS.

Our purchasing power in this Department has many advantages. First direct from the manufacturers. Second, workmanship considered. Third, exclusive styles. Fourth, prices to suit all purses.

MONTE CARLOS.

The fad of the season. The backward season has forced the manufacturer to give special inducements and we are prepared to give you the benefit.

DRESS and WALKING SKIRTS

If you are looking for a useful present there is nothing any more appreciative than a nice full Skirt. We alter all Skirts free of charge and guarantee a fit.

Purchases Now Made Held Until Christmas.

Our Basement is now ready for inspection having each line fully displayed. We pride ourselves of the largest variety ever shown in this city.

FANCY CHINA—Salads, Cakes, Tea Sets, Cups and Saucers, Plates, Celeries, Bon Bons, Berry Sets, Comb and Brush Trays, Desserts, Dinner and Toilet Sets.

BRIC-A-BRAC—Vases, Ornaments, Smoker Sets, Ash Trays, Metal Figures, Bisque Figures, Jewelry Boxes, Mantel Ornaments, Bronze Novelties.

FANCY BASKETS—Baby Baskets, Work Basket, Paper Baskets, Sewing Baskets, Hampers, Candy Baskets.

GLASSWARE—Water Sets, Wine Sets, Cut Glass Tumblers, Water Bottles, Sherbets, Berry Sets, Cracker Jars.

CELLULOID NOVELTIES—Work Boxes, Cuff and Collar Boxes, Manicure Sets, Toilet Sets, Photo Frames, Tie and Handkerchief Boxes.

PICTURES—Medallions, Game, Easel Pictures, Colored Arts, Burned Wood and Historic.

DOLLS—Walking Dolls, Sleeping Dolls, Crying Dolls, Dressed Dolls, Kid Body Dolls, Rubber Dolls, Indian Dolls, Filipino Dolls, China Dolls, Jointed Dolls, Wax Dolls, and absolutely Unbreakable Dolls, Toy Sets, Stuffed Animals and Mechanical Dolls.

LAMPS—Vase Lamps, Hanging Lamps, Sewing Lamps, Reading Lamps, Glass Lamps, Kitchen Lamps.

IMPORTED CHINA—French, English, German, Japanese, and the well known Haviland make.

EBONY AND BURNED WOOD NOVELTIES—Military Brushes, Hat Brushes, Cloth Brushes, Hair Brushes, Manicure Articles and Hand Mirrors.

SPECIAL ATTRACTION—Our 5c, 10 and 25c Counters are loaded down with exclusive useful bargains.

DRESS GOODS AND SILKS.

Great Reduction Sale from now until Christmas. We think it better to sink the knife into profits now and give you the benefit of same during your Holiday purchases, so if you are planning a dress or Waist in Silk or Wool, come to us at once and see our large assortment in Black and Fancy Silks. Black and Colored Dress Goods. Silk and Velour Velvets.

TABLE AND ART LINENS.

As usual this Department gets its full share of attention, and we have spared no energy to place same for Holiday Rush.

Table Sets, Ham-titched Sets, Lunch Cloth, Napkins. Linen and Napkins to match. Towels, Doilies and Center Pieces at special low prices.

BLANKETS AND COMFORTS.

The mild fall season has left us with more heavy goods than expected and in order to turn them into cash we have made cut prices on all winter goods.



UNDERWEAR and HOSIERY.

The cold wave is coming. Prepare yourself for the winter.

We have been prepared with the largest assortment in Men's, Ladies' and Children's Underwear to meet your wants. A fine line of fancy Holiday Hosiery. See them.

The always welcomed, useful and inexpensive presents for X-mas are plentiful displayed in our Notion Department and we show Handkerchiefs in endless variety for Men, Ladies and Children in cotton, Lawns or Silk from 1c each to \$2.00. In our Glove Department we have Ladies' and Misses' Silk, Golf or Kid Gloves in all colors. Neckwear Novelties for Ladies in Stocks, Collars: Rushes, Scarfs, Boas and Lace Novelties. Purses and Chatlains in Leather and Beaded Belts, in Elastic Silks and Satins.

Millinery Department.

The time grows short and but a few weeks remain in which to reduce our stock of choice Millinery to the point desired. Prices are cut to the lowest lowest notch. Special prices on fancy work.

Holiday Slippers and Shoes.

We are ready to meet your wants in this Department by one of the best assorted stocks of dependable good wearing and solid comfort footwear ever shown in this city.

50 dozen ladies' and children's first quality Rubbers 25c a pair.

THE GOLD MINE!

THE GREAT MONEY SAVING STORE

Seymour, Indiana.

